## Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition

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WE (1) the undersigned inventor(s), hereby declare(s) that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

We (I) believe that we are (I am) the original, first and joint (sole) inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

8-IIYDROXY-5-[(IR)-I-HYDROXY-2-[(IR)-2-(4-METHOXYPHENYL)-I-METHYLETHYLJAMINOJETHYLJ-2(III)-QUINOLINONE MONOHYDROCHLORIDE IN CRYSTALLINE FORM AND THE PROC'ESS FOR ITS PREPARATION

## the specification of which

	is attached hereto.		
to company	was filed on	28	
	Application Serial No.		
×	was filed as PCT international application		
	Number PCT/EP2005/003144		
	on March 24, 2005		
	and was amended under PCT Article 19		
	on	(if applicable).	

We (I) hereby state that we (I) have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We (i) acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to be material to the patentiability of this application as defined in Section 1.56 of Title 37 Code of Federal Regulations.

We (I) hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patient or inventor's certificate, or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patient or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed. Prior foreign applications(s)

Application No.	Country	Day/Month/Year	Claimed			
04007045.0	European	24-03-2004		Yes		No
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We (1) hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below

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Application Serial No. Filing Date Status (pending, patented, abandoned)

And we (1) hereby appoint the following registered practitioner(s):



as our (my) attorneys, with full powers of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent Office connected therewith; and we (f) hereby request that all correspondence regarding this application be sent to



We (I) declare that all statements made herein of our (my) own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and behef are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by line or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing different.

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